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In re the Application of: **KANEKO et al.**

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For. **LIQUID CRYSTAL SHUTTER AND METHOD OF DRIVING THE SAME**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 7, 2002 for one month from March 7, 2003, to April 7, 2003.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$520.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a third month's extension fee (first two month's paid on March 7, 2003) for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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